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OTTENHEIMER & CO.

BOYS' CLOTHING.

February Clearing Sales.

CHOICE OF

100 Fine Jersey Suits,

Double-Breasted,
Fine Fabric,
Heavy Trimmed,
Nicely Trimmed,
Sold at \$6.50, \$7 and \$7.50.

Your choice at \$4.75 Ages 4 to 8 years.

Our Shirt Waist Sale Still Continues.

\$1.00 Waists at 75 cents.

75c Waists at 50 cents.

50c Waists at 38 cents.

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The Leaders in Clothing, Hats and Furnishings,
MASONIC TEMPLE BLOCK, CORNER WATER AND WILLIAM STREETS.
TELEPHONE 182.

+ARCADE+ Muslin Underwear Sale.

We will offer during this week Unsurpassed Bargains in

+LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.+

GOWNS.

Heavy muslin, trimmed and trimmed in flannel, worth \$10, reduced to \$4.

Fine muslin, lace trimmed, elastic yoke, worth \$6, reduced to \$5.

Fine muslin, embroidery trimmed, worth \$1, reduced to 50c.

Fine muslin, elastic yoke, with or without collar, worth \$1.25, reduced to 80c.

Fine muslin, Valenciennes lace inserting in yoke between neck, worth \$1.50, reduced to \$1.10.

Fine muslin, handsome all over embroidery yoke, full sleeve, worth \$1.50, reduced to \$1.10.

Extra fine muslin, embroidery inserting, with neck in yoke, dark cuffs, worth \$1.65, reduced to \$1.25.

Heavy muslin, elastic yoke in yoke, trimmed in lace-made tulle, worth \$1.75, reduced to \$1.35.

SKIRTS.

Heavy muslin, trimmed either in embroidery and tulle, or plain tulle, or tulle and lace, worth \$10, reduced to \$6.

Fine muslin, elastic yoke, with extra deep embroidery, worth \$1.10, reduced to 80c.

Cambric muslin, elastic yoke, with inserting and deep embroidery, worth \$1.25, reduced to \$1.

Fine muslin, elastic yoke, with extra deep embroidery at bottom, worth \$1.50, reduced to \$1.10.

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Cambric, trimmed with Nainsook embroidery, square or V-shaped neck, 48c.

Fine cambric, handsomely trimmed with fine embroidery, square neck, 50c.

Handsomely trimmed, with fine cambric embroidery, 75c.

Fine cambric, handsome tulle lace, with embroidery, V-shaped neck and front, 80c.

Fine cambric, 4 tucks, Cambric ruffles, 25c.

Fine cambric, 4 tucks, embroidery, 35c.

Fine cambric, 4 tucks, with fine, deep embroidery, 50c.

Fine cambric, either insertion or embroidery, Cambric trim and insertion, or tulle lace, 50c.

Fine cambric muslin, handsome embroidery, 75c.

Fine cambric, 4 tucks, deep embroidery, 75c.

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You can buy a fifty pound sack of Flour for sixty cents. But don't expect to get the best. The best is the best, and you don't get the best unless you buy this brand. The Best is the Cheapest. You will always find The Best at

144 East Main St.

FRIDAY EVE, FEB. 3, 1923.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Dance & Box, Indiana.

"Bourne Hope" Saturday night

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this evening by Mr. and Mrs. C.

T. Hildebrandt

Patricia's crack Democratic organization,

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ington in a special car

Excellent country butter and season-

able fruits at Philip Kemper's grocery

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John Young, at the Republican office

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Star into the Syndicate block and see

May & Oshroffman, the grocers, in their

new location. They have one of the

nearest stores in the city. April 1st

Fair not to call at O. B. Prescott's

meat store. There you will find the

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ARCADIE

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We will offer during this week Unsurpassed Bargains in

LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

GOWNS.

Heavy muslin, filled and trimmed in

finishing braid, worth 90c, reduced to

44c.

Fine muslin lace trimmed, slated yoke,

worth 80c, reduced to 65c.

Fine muslin, embroidery trimmed, worth

\$1, reduced to 80c.

Fine muslin, fine tuck yoke, with or

without collar, worth \$1.25, reduced to

90c.

Fine muslin, handsome lace inserting

in yoke between tucks, worth \$1.50,

reduced to \$1.10.

Fine muslin, handsome lace inserting

in yoke between tucks, worth \$1.50,

reduced to \$1.10.

Extra fine muslin, embroidery inserting

in yoke between tucks, worth \$1.50,

reduced to \$1.10.

Heavy muslin, cluster tuck in yoke,

trimmed in hand-made tuck, worth

\$1.50, reduced to \$1.10.

SKIRTS.

Heavy muslin, trimmed either in em-

brodery and tucks, or plain tucks, or

frills and tucks, worth 90c, reduced to

69c.

Fine muslin, cluster tucks, trimmed with

deep embroidery, worth \$1.10, reduced

to 90c.

Cambrie muslin, cluster tucks with in-

serting and deep embroidery, worth

\$1.25, reduced to \$1.

Fine muslin, cluster tucks, with extra

deep embroidery on bottom, worth

\$1.65, reduced to \$1.25.

Fine muslin, 14 tucks, deep embroidery,

worth \$1.75, reduced to \$1.39.

Corset Waists.

To the early buyers of corset waists we

will make extra inducements. Note

the following prices:

Plain muslin corset waists, early price,

1.00.

Cambrie, embroidery trimmed, high or

low neck, swan or V-shaped, worth

40c, early price, 25c.

Fine muslin, embroidery trimmed, early

price, 35c.

DRAWERS.

Cambrie, trimmed with Nainsook embroi-

der, square or V-shaped neck, 45c.

Fine muslin, handseamly trimmed with

fine embroidery, square neck, 50c.

Handseamly trimmed, with fine muslin

embroidery trimming, 75c.

Fine muslin, handsome tuck and lace

trimming, V-shaped back and front,

85c.

Fine muslin, 4 tucks, Cambrie ruffles,

25c.

Fine muslin, 4 tucks, embroidery trim-

med, 35c.

Fine muslin, 4 tucks, with fine, deep em-

brodery trimming, 35c.

Fine muslin, either insertion or embroi-

der, tuck and lace, insertion, or

tuck and lace, worth 50c.

Fine muslin, handseamly, handsome em-

brodery trimmed, with tucks, 60c.

Fine muslin, cluster tucks, insertion and

deep embroidery trimmed, 75c.

Fine muslin, fine cluster tucks, handsome

deep embroidery trimmed, 85c.

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FLOUR

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Yes, you can buy a fifty pound sack of
Flour for fifty cents. But don't expect
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CLOYD'S

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FRIDAY EVE., FEB. 3, 1893.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Dinner and Supper.

"Robin Hood" Saturday night.

Smoke the old reliable K. & W. cigars

marked.

Urbana and Danville may be connected

by an electric car line.

You will like the Miel Bouquet and

Little Rose cigars. Try them.

Aurora teachers are required to give

daily reports of the temperature of the

school room.

Piles of people have piles, but De-

Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them.

W. F. Neisler.

The H. F. S. Club will be entertain-

ing this evening by Mr. and Mrs. C.

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Excellent country butter and season-

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OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.

Buy choice groceries at the John L.

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Prompt delivery to any part of the city.

SWEET breath, sweet stomach, sweet

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Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous

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Stay into the Synagogue block and see

May & O'Brien, the grocers, in our

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FAIR not to call at C. B. Prescott's

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Nothing so distressing as a hacking

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This practical joker who has been

known as "the sneezer" at the Aurora

opera house has been refused further ad-

mission. He carried red pepper and

sneezed regularly during the perform-

ance, making even the dying and the

dead on the stage smile.

For instance, Mrs. Chas. Rogers, of

Bay City, Mich., accidentally spilled cold-

water over her little boy, who was

applying De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve,

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good salve for burns, bruises, sores, and

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The team attached to Bartholomew's

delivery wagon began to run yesterday

morning about 7 o'clock. It started

from the store on North Water street,

and will probably not stop until it is

through delivering Sugar and Creams

from the great sale at Bartholomew's.

The total amount of the deficiency of

County Clerk Dunlap, of Ford county,

who disappeared a year ago, has been

found to be \$21,000. This is \$2,000 more

than had been reported and Judge Tip-

ton has decided that Dunlap's bondmen

are liable for the full amount of the

A BRILLIANT RECEPTION.

Given at the Home of Mrs. O.
B. Prescott in Honor of
Mrs. A. T. White.

Nearly 200 Friends Presented to
the Bride—The Toilette
and Souvenirs.

On Tuesday, January 24th, at Platte-
burgh, New York, Mr. A. T. White, of
this city, and Miss Henrietta Stafford
were united in marriage. In honor of
their brother's bride, Mrs. O. B. Prescott
and Mrs. Frank Elwood gave a reception
from 2 to 5 o'clock last evening at the
Prescott residence, No. 384 South Union
street. It was an occasion of marked
social brilliancy, and despite the dis-
agreeable weather there was a large at-
tendance of ladies who took pleasure in
welcoming Mrs. White to the city. The
hostesses were assisted by Mrs. F. B.
White and Mrs. LeGrande Faine, of
Indianapolis, Ind., in the receiving party;
by Mrs. Henry Elwood, who presented
the guests; by Mrs. George W. Thomp-
son, Miss Anna Henkle and Mrs. Frank
Paine, who were in the dining room; by
Miss Cora Elwood, Mrs. Newton Davis
and Miss Margaret Burnett, of Moberly,
Mo., who presided in the chocolate
room; by Miss Lulu Elwood, who had
charge of the punch bowl, and by Miss
A. L. Gill, who presented the pretty so-
venirs—a white hyacinth blossom with
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FRESH OYSTERS —AT— WOOD'S.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

30 Degrees Below zero today, but is not so low as the prices on Sugars and Creamers at Bartholomew's. Come, freeze to our bargains.

Danz & Son, tailors.

Fresh oysters at Singleton's.

"Rough Hood" tomorrow night.

The Paragon Oil Co. Telephone 417.

Texas, 38—Hocks and Moore, dentists.

Ten oysters are out again today. But it is rough sleighing.

Not a street car is moving today. The tracks are full of ice.

Ten hocks are in clover today. They are doing all of the transfer business.

FORGOTTEN SALE of Clothing at Cheap Charley's. See change of advertisement.

SUGARS AND CREAMERS have gone into our special sale at odd prices on our first floor. Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

The Grand Opera House oysters, made by Kock & Weigand, are the best in town.

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The F. H. S. Whist club were entertained last night by Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Ackerman.

"Rough Hood" at the Opera House tomorrow night, will be witnessed by a large audience.

You can get an upper and lower set of teeth at Smith's Dental Parlors, over the postoffice, for \$15.

WANTED—A first class chambermaid, to whom good wages will be paid, apply at Central House.

LANE pastures and lawns are vast fields of ice and scores of boys are skating about enjoying the sport.

NAMES of people who aided A. Welsh Comstock's good cause will be seen in another column.

The best of California fruits on sale at May & Oshorn's grocery store in the Syndicate Block. Make selections.

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This morning at 5 o'clock it was 8 degrees below zero, a drop of 38 degrees in less than 24 hours.

For cold in head, sore throat or catarrh, MAY'S MAGNO INHALER is the best by far. Price 10c.

APPLICATION has been made in the county court by Mr. and Mrs. John W. Brewer for the adoption of Eddie E. Green.

"The Best at West's." If you cannot get out, telephone your wants and we will send them. West's Lincoln Square Pharmacy.

To-NIGHT at 7:30 o'clock a conference meeting of the members of the Decatur state fair committee will be held at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

ORANGES in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Forly Oyster & Fish Co., 243 North Main street. Telephone 344.

For beauty, youth—see KOUERER'S SOAP, "Hints of Beauty," with its go.

That "How to Gain It" you may know. Price 10c.

As best for whooping, croup, coughs, ONE NIGHT COUGH CURE the drug-offers.

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"I HAVE BEEN using Salvation Oil for a lame back and think it is the best remedy I have ever used. O. E. Dunlap, 15 Central Ave., Lynn, Mass.

Scrupin at May & Oshorn's complete grocery store in the Syndicate Block and do your trading. Prompt delivery to any part of the city. mar25d1t

On the evening of February 10th the opera house will have their annual benefit. Announcements of features for the evening will be made in due time.

LORENZO J. CONNER, 104 Green street, Albany, N. Y., says: "I have used Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup and find it very beneficial, and can safely recommend it as a good remedy for coughs."

Last night a small but appreciative audience witnessed the "Plaster's Wife" play at the Grand. Mr. Lacy was a typical southern colonel and Miss Rigi made a fine impression as Edith. The support was good.

THROUGH the agency of Sterrett & Fuller Mrs. Sarah E. Peake, widow of Capt. Geo. B. Peake, has secured a pension of \$8 per month, under the act of July 27, 1890, dating from Oct. 16, 1890, when the claim was filed.

CANVASSERS WANTED—Two or three first-class canvassers, ladies or gentlemen, to solicit for the sale of several lines of books, on an entirely new plan. Call and investigate. Apply between 9 and 6 o'clock Saturday at Room 30, Hotel Long. Mrs. L. P. SEARS.

In the circuit court Mrs. Mary O. Crawford has filed a bill for a divorce from her husband, Henry O. Crawford, who came to Decatur over a year ago, and purchased the Colonel Mathis property on North Union street. She alleges cruelty. There are seven children, all grown. Adultery is also alleged, the correspondent being Mary Saitman. Crawford is said to possess \$10,000 worth of personal property and 740 acres of land in Christian county. His income is between \$5,000 and \$7,000.

THERE was a large attendance of neighbors and friends at the funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Platt, which took place yesterday afternoon from the family residence on North Morgan street. Among the floral tributes was a crown, cross and star, sent by members of the Decatur fire department. Two sons of the deceased are members of the department. Rev. J. A. F. King conducted the services, and the interment was in Greenwood. The pallbearers were Messrs. Samuel Morthland, B. Gilliland, T. E. Low, B. Askins, J. Duffy and B. Rosen-gratz.

THERE was a well-filled house at the Church of God last night, considering the very inclement weather, and much interest was manifested. There were six

conversions, and others under conviction. A number united with the church again last night. The ordinance of baptism was administered to a number of converts by the pastor yesterday. The Evangelist will preach to-night from the theme, "Health to the Gods."

The funeral of Nellie Steward Robinson will be held from the A. M. E. church to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Harvey officiating. Nellie was 9 years of age. She died of consumption at 250 East Marietta street at 9:54 last night.

GROUND hogs in the neighborhood of Decatur, did not see their shadow yesterday unless they strolled out under the electric light. Many people will be looking for mild open weather before the end of six weeks.

BLENDED was never better, and you can skate everywhere. A number of prominent citizens who had not skated for years, put on their son's skates and skinned about on their lawns and outside walks.

This boot and shoe firm of H. W. Waggoner & Co. are giving out to their customers beautiful souvenir books containing photographs of the World's Columbian Exposition buildings at Chicago.

In the county court Attorney J. D. Walker has commenced a suit for \$300 against Mrs. Dora Bishop, late defendant in the Nicholson-Bishop case.

MARRIAGE of the local state fair committee to-night at 7:30 o'clock at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

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NOT A CAR IN SIGHT.

The Ice King Crushes Electricity and Stops the Wheels.

The few street cars which crept along with great difficulty yesterday afternoon and last evening on the Depot, West Main, Eldorado, Water and Condit street branches of the electric railway, had to give it up last night at 9:30 o'clock, when Manager Ferguson ordered the cars to the barn. It was a serious question then whether it would be possible for the cars to reach the barn. Rain was falling rapidly and it was growing colder steadily. Mr. Ferguson did not anticipate a general freezing during the night. He engaged all the men he could—about 75 in number—to report for track duty this morning. Many of the men reported for duty, but the condition of the track was such that it was impossible to accomplish anything. Every rail was covered with solidly frozen ice and snow, two to three inches thick. The situation was too tough for the street car management. They concluded to give it up, and wait for a thaw. Not a car has been in sight to-day and not a wheel has turned. It is the first time in the history of the management that they have been silenced by snow and sleet, and they surrender reluctantly. As soon as possible the cars will be out again. The people are assured that no effort or expense will be spared looking to prompt service when it is apparent that the power of the ice king can be overcome.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT.

A Dull Day—Trial of the Title Company Damage Case.

To-day business in the circuit court has been given up to hearing of testimony in the Title company damage case. Entries were as follows:

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

Edwin Peck and Marquis L. Johnston vs. The Decatur Brick and Tile Company; trespass on the case. Trial by jury pending.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Frank W. Collier vs. Joseph F. Priest, fore-closure. Report of Master approved.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

People vs. Laura Brown, lewd house. Plead guilty. Asst. Sec. of Court.

People vs. James Stafford, petit larceny. Plead guilty and fined \$1 and costs and sentenced to jail for one day.

People vs. James Stafford, grand larceny. Defendant pleads guilty and sentenced to the penitentiary for one year.

People vs. Eliza Murphy, grand larceny. Defendant pleads guilty and sentenced to reform school.

Co-operation.

Professor Semla of the Chicago University delivered the fifth lecture of the course at the Woman's Club last night. The subject was "Co-operation." The lecturer's audience was small. His subject was "Co-operation," which he handled in a very interesting way. Taken as a whole it was by far the best he has delivered. He told his audience that co-operation in England is more successful than in this country, and gave good reasons why this is true. He took up building and loan associations and told of their success, and gave good reasons why they succeeded. Speaking of co-operative manufacturing and store-keeping, he told his audience that there was much difference between the two. The one, he said, was co-operative production and the other co-operative distribution. Both co-operative manufacturing and co-operative store-keeping, he said, had proved a failure here and in Europe.

He then turned to the fact that such organizations are generally mismanaged. Success in any enterprise, whether private or co-operative, depends upon the ability of the management to produce in the one case and buy in the other at the lowest possible figure and then to secure and hold a market for the goods at a profit.

Prof. Semla gave an example of successful co-operation in Germany. It is a credit union consisting of farmers who borrow money as an organization and loan it to individuals. The subject of the next lecture will be "Profit Sharing."

Appointed Consul.

Harry M. Moore, formerly of Decatur and who has of late been connected with the postoffice department at Spokane, Wash., has been appointed consul at Three Rivers, Ontario. He will stop in Decatur next week on his way to Three Rivers to take his position.

Deal to Kill Anti-Option.

A Washington special over the J. T. Roberts wire says that Speaker Crisp decided today against Hatch's request for a conference committee on the Anti-Option bill. Hatch's motion to refer it to the committee on agriculture, prevailed by a vote of 151 to 84.

"The Society's Sentinels."

This evening Miss Ethel Dimock will read a paper on the subject of "The Society's Sentinels," before the DeWitt County Christian Endeavor Union meeting.

ELECTRIC STREET LIGHTING.

Statistics Gathered by Robert J. Finley and Published in "The Review of Reviews"—Decatur Included.

An interesting article, by Robert J. Finley, on "Electric Street Lighting in American Cities," appears in *The Review of Reviews* for February. Mr. Finley takes up the question of municipal versus private supply. He says it has been less than six years since the field of electric lighting was first entered by the municipality, and that now, more than one hundred and twenty-five cities, in all parts of the United States, own and operate plants. His information is that more cities would own their own plants were it not for constitutional provisions which limit the amount of debt a city may incur beyond a small percent of the taxable base of the community. Thus the inability to issue bonds has barred many cities from owning their own plants, and as a result, such cities are forced to depend upon private corporations for electric lighting, while others voluntarily have contracted with private corporations for light. This brings Mr. Finley to investigate the difference in the cost of electric lighting, as between cities owning their own plant and cities supplied by private companies. The result of this investigation is largely in favor of cities owning their own plants.

He has tabulated reliable data from twenty-three cities owning their plants, which shows the average cost of operating electric light for the fiscal year 1892-93 to be \$38.04, or, including interest, a deduction of 12 per cent, total cost of plant and buildings, \$86.64.

He also publishes a table showing the average cost per car light, for the same period, for twenty-nine cities that are lighted by private companies to be, \$106.01.

This showing is largely in favor of cities owning their own plants, which Mr. Finley accounts for in this way: Private corporations conduct their business for profit. The municipality does not. Municipal electric lighting plants are operated in connection with municipal water works, which makes the running expenses of the electric lighting plant comparatively light. Some cities in this way have found it necessary to add only two or three employees to the water works force.

In making these comparisons care has been taken to compare cities having as near as possible the same light system including period of illumination. Among the cities owning their electric lighting plants and furnishing their own light at the least cost per car light per year, are: Decatur, \$49.18; Bloomington, \$50; Elgin, \$43; Paris, \$40; Bowling Green, Ky., \$50; Bangor, Me., \$45; Ypsilanti, Mich., \$23.00; Gallion, O., \$36; Marietta, Ga., \$38; Chambersburg, Pa., \$45; Meadville, Pa., \$47.43; Titusville, Pa., \$40; and Staunton, Va., \$24. (Staunton furnishes light to private parties, the profits from which reduce the cost per car light.) Among the cities owning plants, where the cost is greatest per car light, are: St. Louis, Kan., \$97.50; St. Joe, Mo., \$72; Easton, Pa., \$87; and Galveston, Tex., \$87.30.

The lowest cost per car light per year, to cities supplied by private companies is in Arkansas City, Kan., \$72. The highest Kansas City, Mo., \$200.75.

Mr. Finley also notes the fact that cities furnishing their own light have reduced the cost very materially since the end of the fiscal year 1890.

Judge Howell Edmund Jackson.

Judge Howell E. Jackson, Tennessee, just promoted by President Harrison from the United States circuit court (to which he was appointed by Cleveland) to the Supreme bench, is a Democrat, and was born at Paris, Henry county, Tenn., April 3, 1832. He graduated from the West Tennessee college at Jackson in 1849, with the highest honors of his class. In 1850 he completed a course in the University of Virginia, and in 1855 graduated from the law school at Lebanon, Tenn. He was elected United States senator in 1881 and was appointed to the circuit court April 12, 1889, by President Cleveland.

Will Retire.

P. Ford, who for fifteen years has been roadmaster first for the T. H. & P. and after the sale of that road to the Pan-dalia line continued as roadmaster on the Peoria division, will retire before the first of March to private life, and enjoy a much needed and well-earned rest.

State Fair.

There will be a meeting of the State Fair committee at the St. Nicholas Hotel club rooms tonight at 7:30 o'clock. All the members are expected to be present.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Prof. Walter is in Macon to-day.

Miss Helen Richards is convalescent.

Mrs. C. O. Stoddard is on the sick list.

David Lloyd is in Chicago on business.

Fred Willis is confined to his home by illness.

Geo. W. Downing is in Chicago on business.

R. Stone left to-day for Moline, Ill., to visit relatives.

Miss Loo Young is visiting relatives in La Placa.

Mrs. Dora Bishop is visiting relatives in Benet to-day.

Mrs. William Ferry, of Springfield, is visiting Decatur friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Warren have returned from Indianapolis.

Mrs. William Ferry, of Springfield, is in the city visiting relatives.

Attorney J. A. Buckingham is in Jacksonville to-day on business.

Mrs. J. D. Templeton is quite sick at her home on North Broadway.

Rev. J. R. Locke is enjoying a visit with his mother at the head.

Mrs. J. A. Buckingham left this morning for Marion, Ind., to visit relatives.

Dean Rockwell, of Taylorville, was the guest of D. L. Bunn and family yesterday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bell, at 1072 North Monroe street, February 2—a daughter.

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS.

Ready for Distribution Saturday Morning, February 4.

Oliver Optic's Annual for Children. Adams (Optic).

A Young Knight Errant. Adams (Optic).

Plugging for Gold. Adams (Optic).

The Odds Against Him. Adams (Optic).

The Young Boatman. Adams (Optic).

Modern Horsemanship. Anderson.

The Master of Silence. Anderson.

Selections from the Apocryphal. Anderson.

The Armies of To-day. Anderson.

The Master of Silence. Anderson.

An Historical Mystery. Anderson.

The Hailstorm Succession. Anderson.

The Lost Silver of Britannia. Anderson.

Christy and Other Stories. Anderson.

The American Family Robinson. Anderson.

The Case of Mr. Looft. Anderson.

Lady Silverdale's Secret. Anderson.

Popular Aquiduct—A Tale. (Red.) Anderson.

Three Years in the Tropics. Anderson.

The Diary of a Village Gossip. Anderson.

Rice and the Mountains. Anderson.

Giovanni and the Other. Anderson.

Lincoln's Last Days. Anderson.

Zigzag Journeys on the Mississippi. Anderson.

Columbian Selections. Anderson.

The Search for Basil Lyndhurst. Anderson.

Three Years in the Holy Land. Anderson.

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